

REMARKS

Claim 33 has been amended to claim the invention with more particularity. Support for retaining the ratio in blood is found, for example, in Example 5 in paragraph 110. The requirement for maintenance of at least one hour is found in Figure 6A associated with that example, wherein the first timepoint taken is at 1 hour. Support for the limitation of the ratio having synergy over 20% of the range of 0.2 to 1.00 is supported in paragraph 55.

Claims 34-35 are supported in claims 3 and 4 as originally filed and claims 36-39 are supported in claims 5-8 as originally filed. Claim 40 is supported in claim 20 as originally filed and claim 41 is supported by Example 7. Claim 42 is supported by original claim 30. Claims 43-44 are supported on page 23, paragraphs 83-84. No new matter has been added and entry of the amendment is respectfully requested.

Examination on the merits is now requested.

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